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Client Reference No.: 13424ROUS02U

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In re Application of: :  
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Appln. No.: 09/750,096 :  
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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR :  
PROVIDING ROBUST CONNECTIONS :  
IN NETWORKING APPLICATIONS :

Mail Stop Amendment  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for responding to the Office Action mailed on February 13, 2006, in the above-captioned application. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the time for response be extended up to and including June 13, 2006. A check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the Petition for one-month extension is submitted herewith.

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